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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT AND
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MS: NON-FEE AMENDMENT

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Greetings:

In response to the restriction requirement dated June 3, 2003, Applicant elects the claims of Group II for examination, that is, claims 24-32 and 52-60.

In addition, please cancel, without prejudice, claims 1-23 and 33-51, and add new claims 61-106, as follows:

61. The lightning detection system of claim 24 wherein at least one of said sources of data representative of a series of lightning discharges comprises:

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